



SC Annual School District Report Card Summary

Barnwell 45 School District
Grades: PK-12 **Enrollment: 2,406**
Superintendent: Roy Sapough
Board Chair: Chad Perry

PERFORMANCE

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YEAR	ABSOLUTE RATING	GROWTH RATING	PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD		ESEA/FEDERAL ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM	
			General Performance	Closing the Gap	ESEA Grade	Accountability Indicator
2012	At-Risk	At-Risk	N/A	N/A	D	N/A
2011	Average	Average	N/A	N/A	Not Met	CA
2010	Average	Excellent	N/A	N/A	Not Met	CDI

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF DISTRICTS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

EXCELLENT	GOOD	AVERAGE	BELOW AVERAGE	AT-RISK
5	3	15	1	1

* Ratings are calculated with data available by 11/07/2012. Districts with Students Like Ours are Districts with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this district.

PASS

PASS	2012 Reading	2012 Math	2012 Science	2012 Social Studies	2012 Writing
	% Met or above	% Met or above	% Met or above	% Met or above	% Met or above
District	59.0%	54.1%	49.0%	53.5%	62.6%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	69.2%	69.3%	66.8%	69.9%	69.2%
Average District	74.9%	74.3%	72.1%	74.8%	74.0%

PASS	2012 Reading	2012 Math	2012 Science	2012 Social Studies	2012 Writing
	% Exemplary	% Exemplary	% Exemplary	% Exemplary	% Exemplary
District	29.1%	19.6%	9.1%	14.9%	26.6%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	35.5%	29.6%	19.7%	28.0%	31.1%
Average District	42.7%	36.3%	24.8%	34.6%	37.3%

HSAP

HSAP: 2nd Year Students	Passed 2 Subtests (%)	Passed 1 Subtest (%)	Passed No Subtests (%)
District	77.7%	10.2%	12.1%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	77.0%	13.3%	9.7%

HSAP Passage Rate by Spring 2012 (%)

District	86.1%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	90.3%

End of Course Test Passage Rate (%)

District	67.1%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	65.6%

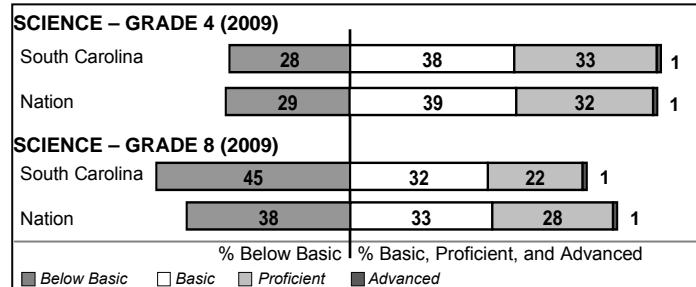
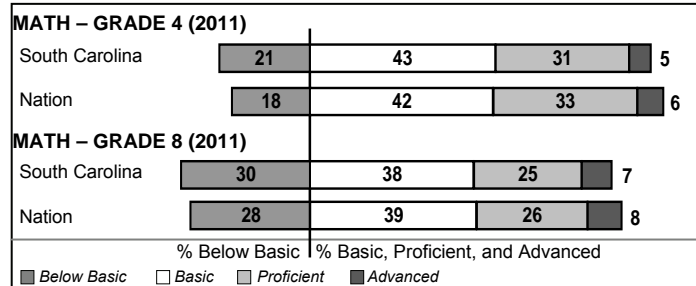
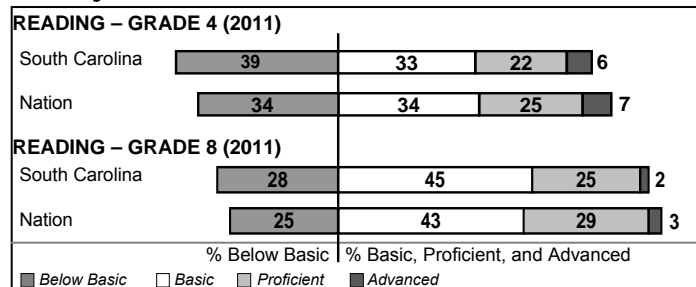
On-Time Graduation Rate (%)

District	62.4%
Districts with Students Like Ours**	76.1%

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NAEP*

* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Percentages at NAEP Achievement Levels.



SC PERFORMANCE VISION

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

Abbreviations Key

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DISTRICT PROFILE

	Our District	Change from Last Year	Districts with Students Like Ours	Median District
Students (n=2,406)				
Retention rate	2.2%	Down from 3.9%	2.2%	2.0%
Attendance rate	94.8%	Down from 95.6%	96.0%	96.1%
Served by gifted and talented program	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
With disabilities other than speech	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Older than usual for grade	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses	0.3%	Up from 0.2%	0.4%	0.6%
Enrolled in AP/IB programs	3.2%	Up from 2.8%	8.7%	13.5%
Successful on AP/IB exams	100.0%	N/A	48.5%	49.9%
Eligible for LIFE Scholarship	18.9%	Down from 30.0%	30.4%	30.3%
Enrolled in adult education GED or diploma programs	11	Down from 24	61	59
Completions in adult education GED or diploma programs	4	Down from 17	30	31
Annual dropout rate	3.0%	Down from 3.3%	3.0%	2.7%
Teachers (n=166)				
Teachers with advanced degrees	53.6%	Up from 50.6%	62.4%	62.4%
Continuing contract teachers	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV	N/AV
Teachers returning from previous year	87.9%	Down from 89.8%	91.2%	91.1%
Teacher attendance rate	94.4%	Down from 94.9%	95.1%	95.1%
Average teacher salary*	\$45,953	Up 0.5%	\$46,084	\$46,595
Vacancies for more than nine weeks	0.6%	Up from 0.0%	0.0%	0.1%
Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers	0.1%	Down from 3.3%	1.9%	2.1%
Professional development days/teacher	8.1 days	Up from 6.7 days	12.7 days	12.4 days
District				
Superintendent's years at district	4.0	Up from 3.0	3.0	3.0
Student-teacher ratio in core subjects	20.8 to 1	Up from 20.2 to 1	22.3 to 1	21.7 to 1
Prime instructional time	87.9%	Down from 89.5%	89.8%	89.9%
Dollars spent per pupil**	\$9,242	Up 4.8%	\$8,827	\$8,866
Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries**	54.5%	Down from 55.8%	52.5%	53.1%
Percent of expenditures for instruction**	57.2%	Down from 58.0%	54.4%	55.9%
Opportunities in the arts	Good	Down from Excellent	Excellent	Excellent
Number of schools	4	No Change	7	9
Portable classrooms	0.0%	No Change	1.1%	1.4%
Number of schools with SACS accreditation	4.0	No Change	7.0	8.0
Parents attending conferences	100.0%	Up from 99.3%	99.7%	99.5%
Average administrator salary	\$77,031	Down 1.4%	\$77,433	\$77,744
Number of charter schools	0	No Change	0	0
ESEA composite index score	62.6	N/A	84.3	85.6

* Length of contract = 185+ days.

** Prior year audited financial data available.

RESIDENTIAL TREATMENT FACILITIES STUDENT PERFORMANCE

	PASS	HSAP	End-of-Course Tests
Passage Rate	N/A	N/A	N/A

CHARTER SCHOOLS IN DISTRICT

School Name	Absolute Rating	Growth Rating	ESEA Grade
There are no charter schools in this district.			

REPORT OF SUPERINTENDENT

The mission of Barnwell School District 45 is to create in students a passion for learning and achievement that will serve them as they compete and contribute in a global society. Barnwell School District 45 is composed of four schools, plus an alternative school. We believe that the schools must work with the families and community to provide the best education possible for our students. We are not and must not be islands unto ourselves. Rather, we are part of a much larger team working to ensure the student's success. Failure is not an option.

We are committed to providing an environment where the students from our child development classes through the 12th grade can excel not only academically but also in individual growth. We are fully accredited by AdvancEd, as well as the South Carolina Department of Education. Barnwell Primary School instituted a Montessori Class for 3 to 5 year olds. Barnwell Primary School, Barnwell Elementary School, Guinyard-Butler Middle School, and Barnwell High School have developed common assessments. The information from the common assessments, as well as other information, is displayed in a data room at each school in an effort to better meet the needs of students. Barnwell High school boasts SAT scores that surpass the state.

Barnwell 45 is a school system made up of caring and dedicated faculty and staff members that are willing to go the extra mile for the students. Decisions are data driven, but we always remain focused on the students. Our Board of Trustees is insistent that the decisions we make are based on what is best for the students. Our schools are not just schools. They are truly part of our community — a community that values and cares about their young people, and a community willing to work together for the future.

It is an honor to serve as the superintendent of Barnwell School District 45 and to work with a highly motivated, professional faculty and staff. With the continued assistance and support of our community, I look forward to Barnwell School District 45 schools continuing to be a leader in K-12 education during the 2012-2013 school year.

Roy Sapough, Superintendent

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